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The status conference for Defendant Jonathan Rivera scheduled for May 25, 2023 is adjourned to June 27, 2023 at 12:15 p.m. in Courtroom 520.

SO ORDERED.

Philip M. Halpern

United States District Judge

Dated: White Plains, New York

May 17, 2023

BY ECF

The Honorable Philip M. Halpern United States District Judge Southern District of New York 300 Quarropas Street White Plains, New York 10601

Re: United States v. Jonathan Rivera, S1 23 Cr. 76 (PMH)

Dear Judge Halpern:

A conference in the above-referenced case is scheduled for May 25, 2023. The parties are actively and productively engaged in plea discussions, but need more time to continue those discussions. For that reason, the parties jointly and respectfully request that the conference be adjourned for a period of 30 days.

If the above request is granted, the Government respectfully requests, with the consent of defense counsel, that the Court exclude time under the Speedy Trial Act, 18 U.S.C. § 3161(h)(7)(A), through the new conference date. The Government respectfully submits that an exclusion of time would serve the ends of justice and outweigh the best interests of the public and the defendant in a speedy trial because it would allow the parties to continue to engage in discussions regarding a potential resolution of the matter without the need for trial.

The Government respectfully encloses a proposed order excluding time for the Court's consideration.

Respectfully submitted,

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